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## (54) PROTECTIVE GARMENT HAVING A THERMALLY REFLECTIVE LAYER

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### (57) ABSTRACT

Protective garment for environments having high radiant heat loads and/or high conductive heat loads is described. A protective footwear article and method of making includes an upper with an opaque outer layer; an inner layer; and a thermally reflective layer positioned between the outer layer and the inner layer, the thermally reflective layer having a reflective surface facing the outer layer.

